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Title: <i>Method, System, and Computer Program Product for Determining Properties of Combinatorial Library Products from Features of Library Building Blocks</i>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Certificate of Mailing Under C.F.R. §1.8</u></p> <p>I hereby certify that this correspondence and all marked attachments are being deposited by Express Mail, Express Mailing Label No. EL 989434760 US, on December 30, 2003 in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.</p> <p>By:  Abigail Rivamonte</p>

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 2, 2003, Applicant submits the following amendments and remarks for consideration. Also included with this Amendment and Response to Restriction Requirement is a two-month Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). In the event that any additional fees are required for the filing of this response, please charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-2212, Order Number 044988.030.4669.

AMENDMENT TO THE CLAIMS

The following amendments do not constitute an admission regarding the patentability of the amended subject matter and should not be so construed. Applicant reserves the right to